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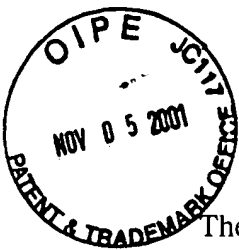
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In accordance with 37 CFR 1.56, the references listed on the attached form PTO-1449 are being brought to the attention of the Examiner for consideration in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application. Copies of the cited documents are enclosed.



The references cited on the attached PTO-1449 were cited in a Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) International Search Report dated 25 April 2000, of corresponding PCT Application No. PCT/DE99/04124. A copy of the PCT International Search Report is enclosed herewith.

The following patent is not in the English language: DE 3722691. An English translation of the Abstract (from Derwent) is attached to satisfy the requirement for a concise explanation of this non-English language reference.

Should the examiner have any questions concerning the relevance of the patent cited in this disclosure, please contact the undersigned attorney.

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